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DEPT PASS WHITE HOUSE FOR GENERAL SCOWCROFT AND ZEIGLER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: JOINT STATEMENT FOLLOWING KISSINGER-GROMYKO
MEETING IN NICOSIA

FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF JOINT STATEMENT TO BE RELEASED
IN MOSCOW AT 2100 AND IN NICOSIA AT 2000, MAY 7, 1974:

QUOTE: AS AGREED, FOREIGN MINISTER A. A. GROMYKO,
MEMBER OF THE POLITBUREAU OF THE CC CPSU, AND HENRY A.
KISSINGER, SECRETARY OF STATE AND ASSISTANT TO THE
PRESIDENT FOR NATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS, MET ON MAY 7
IN NICOSIA, CYPRUS.

QUOTE: PURSUANT TO THEIR RECENT DISCUSSIONS IN
WASHINGTON AND GENEVA, THEY CONTINUED THE CONSIDERATION
OF A NUMBER OF QUESTIONS PERTAINING TO SOVIET-AMERICAN
RELATIONS AND TO THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

QUOTE: THEY ALSO DISCUSSED AS A PART OF THE GENERAL
PROBLEM OF A MIDDLE EAST SETTLEMENT THE QUESTION OF
A DISENGAGEMENT OF FORCES ON THE SYRIA-ISRAEL FRONT.

QUOTE: BOTH SIDES REGARD THE EXCHANGE OF VIEWS AS BEING
MUTUALLY USEFUL. UNQUOTE.

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